





# DANIELS SAYS GET GUNS READY TO ARM ALL SHIPS

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try, has indicated the conviction that any armed vessel should be considered hostile and sunk in the same way as a belligerent war vessel. There has been no official expression on the subject.

## Policy Not Clear.

Germany's exact policy towards American vessels sailing through the war zone since its proclamation February 1 has not been quite clear, owing to the fact that less than a dozen such voyages have been made, and it is possible that all the vessels that escaped succeeded in avoiding the submarines entirely. It has been suggested that Germany probably issued instructions to her commanders not to sink American ships without every precaution for those on board, as a last hope of keeping America out of the war. The ruthless destruction of passenger liners like the California and the Laconia, however, is felt here to render this belief improbable.

The effect of America's action upon other neutral nations will be awaited with keen interest. Vessels of those countries, too, have been holding to port through terror of the German menace.

The throttling of neutral shipping, both British and German experts have stated to be the "most serious result of the German campaign to date and to have exceeded in effects the actual amount of tonnage destroyed. Several German authorities have indicated that so long as they could terrorize neutral vessels and continue their attrition on British shipping the eventual starvation of England was certain.

## Orders at Southern Dept. to Send All Guards Home

By Associated Press. El Paso, March 9.—Orders were received here today from the southern department for all national guard troops in this district to be entrained and en route home by March 21 in order that they may be mustered out of the federal service by April 1.

## Would Let Commission Settle With Germany

By Associated Press. New York, March 9.—A resolution advocating the appointment of a joint high commission "to endeavor to settle the questions at issue between our government and Germany," was adopted at a mass meeting here tonight under the auspices of the Emergency Peace federation. Another resolution called upon President Wilson to summon all the great powers to discuss plans for "organizing and continuously peaceful relations between nations."

## Will Continue Hearing on Texas Midland Road

By Associated Press. Kansas City, Mo., March 9.—Judge John E. Benson, an examiner for the interstate commerce commission, and C. A. Prouty, director of valuation for the same body, who have been conducting a hearing here on the valuation of the Texas Midland railroad, left late today for Dallas, Texas, where the hearing will be continued. The valuation of the road as appraised by Texas officials is disputed by the road's officials.

## Fletcher in Mexico City After Visit to Carranza

By Associated Press. Mexico City, March 9.—Henry P. Fletcher, the American ambassador, arrived here tonight after a trip to Guadalupe, where he presented his credentials to General Carranza. Mr. Fletcher was accompanied by General Aguilar, foreign minister; Eliseo Arredondo, former Mexican ambassador to the United States, and others.

## Peace Society Pledges Support to President

By Associated Press. Washington, March 9.—A resolution pledging support to President Wilson in the international crisis was adopted today by the executive committee of the American Peace society.

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## Oddities in News Gathered Yesterday

WOMAN SUFF IN MEXICO. By Associated Press. Mexico City.—Senora Hermilla Gallardo, the woman suffrage party's candidate for congress, wound up her campaign last night at an enthusiastic mass meeting which was attended by fully 3,000 people.

## WONDER IF THIS CAN BE.

By Associated Press. Chicago.—For the first time in the annals of the police, a Chinaman was being sought today on a robbery charge. In company with another man the Chinaman entered a store on the West Side and told the proprietor they wished to buy some fruit. As he turned, the Chinaman and his accomplice knocked him unconscious and robbed him.

## ASK \$20,000 FOR BODY.

By Associated Press. St. Louis.—Suit for \$20,000 against St. Louis real estate company was filed here today by Paul H. Ditzgen of Kansas City, Kan., and his sister, Mrs. Margaret F. Yeager of New Baden, Ill., on the grounds that the company is responsible for the removal of the body of their father from the Holy Ghost cemetery.

## ITALIAN VINDICTES FATHER'S BLOOD.

By Associated Press. Pittsburgh, Kansas.—"Vindicate your blood," were the last words Giacomo Vinardi spoke to his 11-year-old son, Joe, as he lay dying from a gunshot wound.

Out into the night, lugging a shotgun almost as large as himself, the gun that had just dropped from his father's hands, went the lad.

Not far from home he saw Mike Gillo, standing in front of his shack, laughing and holding the weapon with which he had just slain the elder Vinardi.

Gillo pointed the gun at Joe, still laughing. The lad did not hesitate. He aimed and pulled the trigger. Tuesday morning when Gillo was found dead, Joe knew that his aim had been true.

## Capture of Durango by Villa Proves to Be Untrue

By Associated Press. Juarez, March 9.—The receipt at military headquarters here today of a message from Durango City was considered as proof that the reported capture of that city by Villa forces was untrue. However, it was said here that Villa was at Rosario, Durango, recently with 900 men. There are 6,000 de facto troops in Torreon, it was added, and no attack was expected upon that city.

## Wacoans, Why Not? Trip Abroad Is Suggested

Why not visit France, England, Holland or Greece during the coming vacation time? Oh, no, there's no danger of the European war, and as far as expenses, say, the expenses aren't to be considered. For instance, L. R. German, at 310 North Sixth street, or the German Dye Works are on South Fourth street; J. Englander lives in Waco, 708 North Fourth; go to Holland, too, at F. E. Holland's, 503 South Fourth; G. M. Holland, Crawford road; R. T. Holland, 1739 Barnard street, and W. B. Holland, 624 South Fifteenth street. You may meet all the kings, too, such as George King, 2014 Austin street; J. C. King, 524 Sherman; J. E. King, 823 South Sixth; J. M. King, 2121 Morrow; J. W. King, 521 Turner; Mrs. Lucy King, Raleigh hotel; Mrs. Minnie Carroll King, 705 Speight and P. B. King, 518 South Fifth.

## More Money for Central Texas, Says Weather Man

More money for Central Texas. This is what the Morning News weather man, Dr. I. Block, predicted for today, only he did not word it exactly this way. "Unsettled and rain" was the weather man's prediction. The rains recently have been beneficial to the farmer and while another rain at the present is not greatly needed, farmers say it will not come amiss.

## Changes Are Announced in Personnel of the Katy

A. C. Beckton, manager for the Katy freight depot in Waco, will leave Wednesday for Houston to become general agent of the Katy freight department there. J. H. Little, now agent at Taylor, Texas, will succeed Mr. Beckton at Waco, and D. A. Erwin, assistant freight agent at Waco, goes to Taylor to take the place left vacant by Mr. Little.

## Marshall Rogers on Long Trip With Pecos City Boys

United States Marshal Rogers, accompanied by Deputy Platt of Austin, left Waco yesterday for Washington, D. C., taking two boys from Pecos City to the National Training School there.

FUNERAL MRS. MAILANDER. Funeral services of Mrs. Eldred Mailander, who died in El Paso Tuesday, were held yesterday morning at 10 o'clock at the family residence on Austin street.

Surviving Mrs. Mailander are her husband and two sisters, Mrs. E. J. Boone of Waco and Mrs. Arline Baker of San Francisco.

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## MARINE IN DANGER OF REBEL ATTACKS SANTIAGO, CUBA

GANGS ARE WAGING GUERRILLA WARFARE AND MAY ATTEMPT BATTLE WITH U. S. FORCE.

By Associated Press. Washington, March 9.—American marines and bluejackets occupying Santiago, recently the stronghold of the Cuban revolutionists, appear from latest navy department dispatches to be facing the possibility of an attack by the rebel bands waging guerrilla warfare in the city's suburbs.

The dispatches, apparently several hours behind developments, said the rebels had turned back after fleeing from the city and were doing considerable skirmishing around the outskirts in a movement which showed some signs of developing a general attack.

A body of Cuban government troops under Colonel Betancourt was reported on its way to Santiago to reinforce the small government garrison, however, and many officials believed the rebels would stay out of the city proper and avoid any clash with the Americans. It was the word that the marines and bluejackets had come ashore and that Colonel Betancourt was marching up from Havana, according to the navy's advices, which convinced the rebel leaders that the city might become a trap and precipitated their flight.

Although the loss of Santiago is regarded here as marking the collapse of the revolution, it is realized that a continuation of the guerrilla campaign in outlying sections may make serious trouble for the government command.

## MUNICIPAL FLAG TO BE FLOWN BY CAPT. THEODORE

Waco's municipal flag will make its first public appearance tomorrow afternoon, flying from an airplane driven by Capt. Charles Theodore, manager of the Waco aviation school. The flight will begin about 2 o'clock, the plane being visible from all parts of the city. At 2:30 o'clock a special car will be waiting at Fourth and Washington to conduct the high school band to the aviation grounds. Upon the return of the airplane, Miss Dorothy Finley, to the accompaniment of the high school band, will hoist the flag to the top of the aviation school building, with appropriate ceremonies.

## Plans Elaborate Supply Station for Sparks Bros.

Plans for one of the most elaborate drive-in supply stations in Central Texas have been prepared by Roy E. Lane, to be built for Sparks Bros. between the two bridges in East Waco and between Elm and Bridge streets. The station will be of concrete and glass, a duplicate of the famous filling station at the Panama exposition, with walks and fountains.

## Waco Hotel to Enlarge Lobby Four Times Greater

Lobby of the Hotel Waco will be enlarged at once so that it will be one of the largest and most attractive in Central Texas. George Wiebusch, owner of the building, will have the dining room converted into a lobby, adding to the present lobby, making it about four times as large as at present. Tile floors will be laid.

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## PATRIOTISM STILL SHOWING ITSELF AGAINST "WILFULS"

By Associated Press. Boise, Idaho.—A protest against the part taken in the filibustering against the armed neutrality bill by United States Senators Kenyon and Cummins of Iowa, printed in Journal of the Idaho legislature, introduced last night under suspension of rules when presented by ten legislators, formerly residents of Iowa.

By Associated Press. Toledo, Ohio.—Representative citizens, in a reception to troops returned from the Mexican border, adopted resolution asking the resignation of Congressman I. R. Sherwood for his attitude in "hindering the president in the present crisis."

By Associated Press. London.—The Nizam of Hyderabad, a ruler of the largest and most popular of the internal states of India, has sent to the government 100,000 pounds for use in the anti-submarine campaign.

By Associated Press. Washington.—A pacifist postcard, headed "American University Bulletin" and mailed in large numbers in New York, has been barred from the mails. American university officials here said the card was not issued by the university.

By Associated Press. New York.—One meal a day for seven days was guaranteed to 1,200,000 destitute Belgian children today when the Literary Digest handed Herbert Hoover chairman of the commission for relief in Belgium, a check for \$500,000 contributed to the magazine's relief fund.

By Associated Press. New York.—J. P. Morgan has made application for \$2,500,000 life insurance, which would be the largest policy ever written under one name.

## Wear Celluloid Collar if You Visit Dallas

If you're going to Dallas, purchase a celluloid collar, that is if you want to be in the style of the Dallasites. It was all brought about when Dallas laundries felt the effects of the European war and raised the price for laundering each collar to 3c. Dallas men believed they will wear a collar a day when the "baseball" weather gets there and to avoid paying 21c a week for collars, they will adopt the celluloid collar system, a fad that has already struck Chicago and New York.

## A. & M. Prexy Before Older Boys' Club Here

Declaring that there are certain fundamental decisions which every man must make early in life in the formation of his character, President W. B. Bizzell of A. & M. college spoke last evening before the Older Boys' High School club assembly at a weekly luncheon at the Y. M. C. A. His talk was one of a series of lectures now being delivered each Friday evening on appropriate subjects by prominent men whom the Y. M. C. A. secures.

## Recruiting Officer Here Sent to Palestine Camp

Hep! Hep! Right about, face! Ball one! Strike two! Out! Military training and ball playing mix better than oil and water. So Sergeant W. B. Wisener of the Waco recruiting station for all branches of the United States army has been ordered by the government to proceed today to Palestine, Texas, and become drillmaster for the St. Louis Browns, in training there.

## APPEAL TO PRESS TO "CENSOR" NEWS IN U-BOAT CRISIS

ADMINISTRATION ASKS SHIPPING DATA BE OMITTED FROM NEWS REPORTS.

By Associated Press. Washington, March 9.—Lacking legal authority to establish general censorship, the administration tonight appealed to the patriotism of the country's newspapers and cable companies to suppress publication and transmission of information about the movements of American merchant craft now to be armed against German submarines.

"The best news that readers can have," Secretary Daniels said in a formal statement to press representatives, "is that the government will protect the rights of Americans to the freedom of the seas. The publication of details can serve no good purpose and might jeopardize human life."

## NEGRO HOUSE BURNS.

A negro house at Twenty-seventh and Sanger streets was destroyed by fire yesterday morning.

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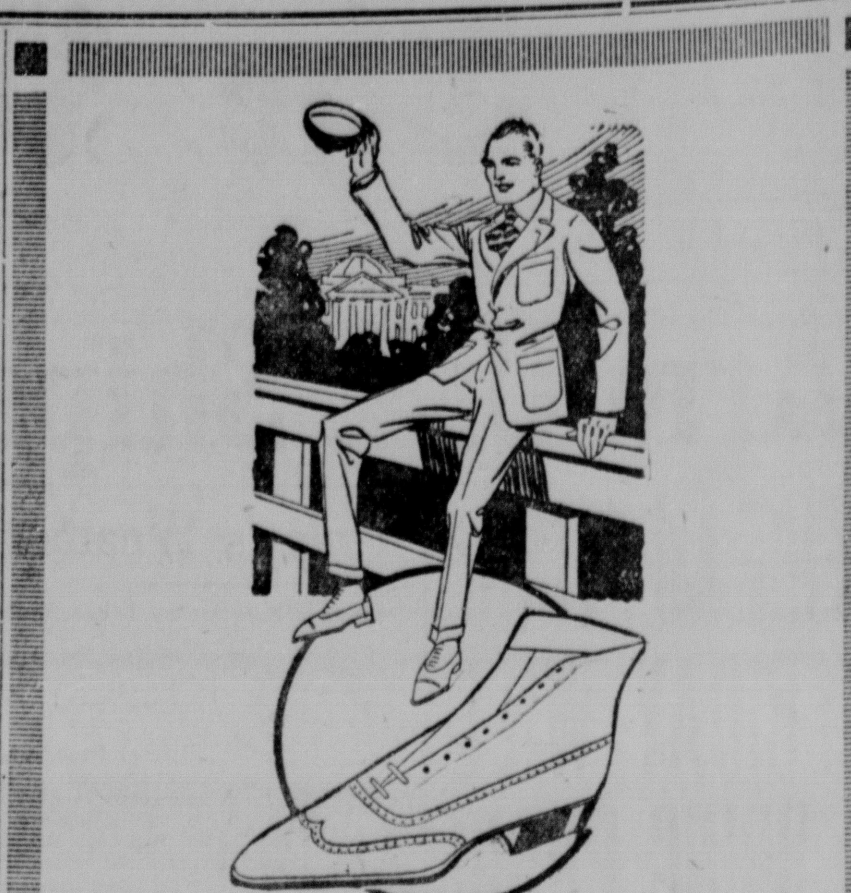
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TWO beautiful Colonial candlesticks of brass were given by Mrs. Gardner Gillespie to Mrs. Charles Schuler, who made top score in the bridge tilt at the meeting of the Thursday Bridge club. Mesdames Clyde Ryburn and Edward Patton played substitute hands and the hostess passed a refreshment plate of dainties to her guests after their departure.

### Y. W. C. A. Banquet.

The membership banquet of last night was the most successful event of the life of the Young Women's Christian. Formed nearly a year ago, the membership and enthusiasm and usefulness of the association have reached a mark dreamed of at the time of its foundation, but hardly hoped for. Seven hundred members feasted their bodies and minds, every foot of available space being made to do its duty.

From the time the eats were placed before the girls until the last toast had been responded to and Miss Kate Friend played the good-by march, fun and good cheer ran high.

The program followed: Return of thanks, Mrs. Arbuckle; "The Activities of the Association," Mrs. R. E. Spencer; toast from the Daisy club, Miss Willie Rawlins; toast to the association, Miss Bessie Bates; cheer from the T. C. club, Miss Mildred Corbin, leader; toast to the gym, Miss Maud Ryan; violin solo, Mrs. Theodore Aay, accompanied by Mrs. McNutt; cheer from the Minnehaha club, Miss Lottie Lees, leader; reading, Miss Louisa; cheer from the Polyanthus club; gym song, Miss Winnie Spruce, leader; toast from the K. Y. C. club, Miss Frances Wynn; "What the Association Means to the Business Girl," Mrs. Pearl Fagg; association song, by the whole house.

Announcements were made of two important lectures to be given during the coming week, the first to be by Mrs. Jean Sherwood next Monday night, with stereopticon slides, admission 10c; the second by Mrs. Mamie Gearing of the State university home economics department, lectures coming Wednesday afternoon and night. The high cost of living is to be the subject of the lectures, with the solving of the problem as the main issue.

### Schools Entertain.

Pecan Grove school was host to the Bosqueville and Lakeview schools yesterday afternoon. In the senior and junior spelling matches which followed, conducted under the interschool league rules, the Pecan Grove school won in both the junior and senior contests with Bosqueville, and in the senior contest with Lakeview. The Lakeview school refusing to participate in the junior contest.

The Pecan Grove school was defeated in baseball by both the Lakeview and Bosqueville teams, the scores being 4 to 6 and 2-6, respectively.

The Bosqueville school will open its doors to Pecan Grove next Friday, at which time spelling contests and baseball games will be played. In the near future Lakeview will be given another opportunity to test its strength.

Bosqueville patrons turned out en masse for the matches, and the children were accompanied by the entire faculties of both the visiting schools.

### Enjoyable Recital.

Most successful and enjoyable was the recital of Thursday given by the music pupils of Miss Zuma Wallace. The first of the program was rendered by pupils not so advanced in music. They did exceedingly well. Among the advanced pupils, special mention is made of the artistic work done by Misses Helen Owen, Annie Mullins, Jewell Wortham and Mrs. M. T. Bell. Their vocal selections delighted the large parlor audience, composed of many of the musicians of the city. Prof. Navratil of Baylor university also afforded delightful violin numbers on this occasion.

### Merry Matrons.

The Merry Matrons were entertained most graciously by Mrs. Wright Edmondson to their regular meeting of last week. Other than fancy work, chat and a delightful refreshment plate the secretary was instructed to write a letter of appreciation to Mayor and Mrs. Dollins for their club courtesy of last week. The next regular meeting will be postponed one week, owing to the fact that the City Federation meets on the regular day.

### Mrs. Andrews Hostess.

Mrs. George Andrews was the agreeable hostess for the Merry Robins on Thursday. Carnations vased about the rooms where tables were arranged for progressive Eighty-four, Mesdames Rolla Greig, Chapman Rucker, Robinson of Marlin and Leslie Lane were the club guests, Mesdames Lane and Robinson being the fortunate possessors of top score and consolation favors. A tempting luncheon plate was the finale of the afternoon's hospitality.

### Club Hostess.

The Thursday Auction Bridge played their game of this week with Mrs. Ben C. Moulton of North Tenth street, who entertained delightfully in her attractive apartments. Mrs. F. L. Booth captured the club plate and the consolation favor fell to Mrs. W. E. Gaylord.

### At Christian Endeavor.

Misses Irma Secrest and Vera Johnson left yesterday to attend the Christian Endeavor convention at Tehuacana. A number of Endeavorers may motor over during the three days the convention will be in progress.

### An Announcement.

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Hebrew Aid society will take place on Monday, the 12th, the Kaffee Klatch being indefinitely postponed.

### Beau-Knot.

The Beau-Knot club meets with Miss Mildred Fort tomorrow afternoon at her home, 1715 Washington street.

### Calendar

Mrs. M. Falkner entertains for Mrs. Charles C. Irvine at "Wahnfrid," 2:30 p. m.

Woman's exchange open at Y. W. C. A., 10 to 12 o'clock.

The Travel class meets at public library, 3 p. m.

### SOCIETY PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Megarity, Mesdames V. V. Damon and Sam Knight motored over for a day in Temple on Thursday.

Mrs. L. E. Stewart of North Fifth street is spending two weeks in Dallas. Mrs. E. D. Hightower and the little folks arrived on Friday from Cedar town, Ga. Mrs. Hightower will be with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hale, for the remainder of spring.

### PEOPLE YOU KNOW

Miss Myrtle Macauley, Mrs. J. C. Reynolds and Mrs. Bruce Campbell of Moody were in Waco yesterday on a shopping tour.

V. H. Hamblen and wife of Dallas spent yesterday in Waco.

E. S. Singer of Marlin was here yesterday.

J. E. Carson of Waxahachie was a Waco visitor yesterday.

Rev. C. E. Lindsey of Mart was here yesterday.

Chester M. Storey, junior member of C. C. Shumway & Co., goes to Dallas today on business.

## Amusements

Edited by W. R. B.

### AT ORPHEUM

YESTERDAY.

Theda Bara has a new role—a big-hearted, innocent beauty brought to the scaffold for a murder she didn't commit. Theatregoers expecting a new vampire picture had one of the surprises of their lives at the Orpheum yesterday, for "The Darling of Paris" was the victim of circumstances and not the wrecker of homes and hearts. Strong emotionalism, sexual appeal and the natural lure of this passionate-natured actress are used in new ways. Stolen by a gypsy band when a child, Emmeralda becomes the dancing favorite of Paris, and unconsciously draws to her the hearts of many men, among them a church man, a young captain of the French army and a poor tool of the churchman. Jealousy causes the death of the beloved of the dancer, and circumstances place the guilt upon Emmeralda. Her sensational rescue keeps the audience in suspense until the curtain is rung down on the last flash of the superb Theda's black eyes.

### MAUD POWELL

AT AUDITORIUM.

Maud Powell will be at the Auditorium Friday, March 16. Perhaps no name in the musical world carries more weight with the general public than this one. America's greatest woman violinist. A serious artist, a loving interpreter, a mistress of technique, but not a slave to it, Maud Powell has played her personality into the hearts of American music lovers. And she is growing all the time. A fact which makes every one who has heard her long to hear her again in order to see what new growth has taken itself into her rendition of the music that never grows old. One critic has said, "She gets something from her work no man could ever reach."

The fact that Waco is able to book such artists as Maud Powell, says much for her position among the leading cities of Texas, and no greater treat for music lovers could be given than the one guaranteed for Friday the 16th.

### CLARA KIMBALL YOUNG

AT THE HIPPODROME.

Clara Kimball Young is fine in a fine play, "The Price She Paid," story by David Graham Phillips, today showing at the Hippodrome.

Clara is a real actress, and her fine dignity and poise, together with just the right quota of emotionalism, have a splendid vehicle in the play. The play is a magnificent sermon on marriages of convenience. The most disgusting brand of these marriages is pictured when Mildred Gower's mother, in the extremity of poverty and through fear of losing social caste, marries an equally poor man. They each draw a blank and when the horrid fact dawns on the happy couple mutual recriminations of the most nauseating type follow. Mildred is finally driven into a little shriping of a man with money than morals or looks. How she extricates herself from this foul marriage and climbs upon the pedestal of self-respect through her own efforts and stern self-denial form the plot of an exceptionally good movie screen, too interesting to be didactic.

### "GRUMPY" TODAY

AT AUDITORIUM.

"Dear old Grumpy," the splendidly-drawn portrait of a British K. C., who is tender, irritable, explosive, considerate, decently profane, faithful and crafty by turns, but always lovable, is the character that will introduce to Waco the tingers the fine acting powers of Mr. Cyril Maude at the Auditorium matinee and night today. Mr. Maude, through his satirical, made "Grumpy" an international success, and consequently a cal patrons of the playhouse are looking forward with delightful anticipation to the engagement of the distinguished actor and his company.

### TO HOLD EXAM. AT MART.

The United States civil service commission announces that on April 4 an examination will be held at Mart, as a result of which it is expected to make certification to fill a contemplated vacancy in the position of fourth-class postmaster at Otto, Texas.

## SANTOL TOOTH POWDER OR PASTE

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## QUEEN THEATRE TO OPEN HERE MARCH 17

PLANS FOR THREE SHOWS A DAY ARE ANNOUNCED BY J. W. TERRY.

Waco is to have another theatre in the Queen which is now under construction. J. W. Terry, formerly manager of the old Alamo theatre and several other shows in Texas, purchased the old Queen picture theatre for \$5,000 and leased the entire Horne building at 604-606 Austin street, where he is erecting a modern theatre, seating approximately 1,200 people.

The Queen will feature musical comedies, vaudeville and feature pictures of the highest class, accompanied by an experienced theatre orchestra. The Queen will open March 17, and three shows will be given each day.

### A New Enterprise Is Launched in Waco

A new enterprise which has recently been launched in Waco will place on the market direct to the consumer a line of family remedies scientifically compounded from prescriptions of an old-time family physician of unquestioned conservatism and respectability. These prescriptions have been used with marked success for many years by A. H. Dickson, proprietor of the Court House Pharmacy, who has decided to place them within reach of the people through a competent staff of demonstrators in charge of W. S. Grist. The merits of the prescriptions which are the basis of Herb Lax Tonic and other remedies, which have the indorsement of physicians, will be fully explained.

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### McCollum Warns Waco Merchants of Money Orders

Merchants in Waco are warned to be on the lookout for attempts to cash blank money orders Nos. 46048 to 46200, which are included in the losses of the postoffice at Alton, Okla., robbed May 27, 1916. Four of the stolen order blanks were cashed at New Orleans, La., February 17, 1917. Merchants detecting any of these stolen money orders will aid the government by causing the offender's arrest, and notifying postoffice inspector in charge, Kansas City, Mo., according to Postmaster C. B. McCollum of Waco.

## SUFFERED SEVERELY EVERY MONTH

Lady Tells What Cardui Did for Her and What It Will Do for Suffering Women.

Deepwater, Texas—"I think Cardui is indeed a wonderful medicine," says Mrs. Minnie Starnes of this town. "In 1905, I broke down in health suddenly. . . I suffered agony. Had bearing-down pains. . . also my back and limbs and hips. . . Sometimes I was in bed all the time and again I was just able to be up. I suffered most severely at . . . and would be confined to my bed four or five days.

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—Shakespeare.

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## SHORT ONES.

Is Columbia the jinx of the ocean?  
Coalition cabinet is suggested for  
Wilson. Job for T. R.  
No country in Europe can stump us  
when it comes to food riots.

## ARE YOU READY FOR TRIAL?

NO MAN is too great or too humble  
to escape his hour of trial.  
To every man comes a time when  
his mind, reason and will crumble be-  
fore the situation, when he echoes the  
cry of the psalmist, "The sorrows of  
death compassed me, and the pains of  
hell got hold upon me: I found trouble  
and sorrow."

Then, if a man is to make a success  
of his life, he must have some kind of  
a philosophy of living.

Some just average men live by a  
philosophy and don't know it. Wise  
men grow up on farms, in mines and  
factories, as well as in libraries. Their  
fellow workers turn to them instinctively  
in every crisis.

And some men have a philosophy of  
life and do not live by it. A man may  
observe all the rites of a religion with-  
out even finding a relation between  
them and the events of his life.

Education and culture are often  
looked upon as a substitute for a re-  
ligion. But these are no more than  
vaudeville stunts which will take a  
man's mind from his worries without  
relieving them.

Not all philosophies of life are good.  
Some of them get bad men into high  
places. The grafting politician, the  
exploiter of the people, the business  
man who "does" the other fellow, live  
by a creed, altho a bad one, and get  
what they go after, altho it may be  
worthless.

Meanwhile the excellent man who  
drifts without any defined motive gets  
nowhere. He waits for his big oppor-  
tunity to turn up; he expects to meet  
his great emergency without preparing  
for it. This has never been done since  
time began.

Psychologists say that the hero who  
wins a Carnegie medal does not be-  
come a hero in a moment; he lives  
daily in that attitude toward life, tho  
his neighbors never suspect it.

As we all meet today's commonplace  
duties, so we will fall or succeed in  
tomorrow's great adventure, endure its  
sorrows, or break under its burdens.

But we will never succeed or fail by  
chance.  
The human will requires fuel, just  
as the body needs food or an engine  
coal. In a philosophy or a religion  
men find a fuel supply for the will.  
"His heart is established, he shall not  
be afraid."

## ARE YOU PLANNING A GARDEN?

INTENSIVE gardening in a kitchen  
window box will provide a cook  
with parsley, chives, radishes and green  
onions.

It is possible to keep a hive of bees  
in an attic window, to grow mush-  
rooms in a cellar, raise squabs over a  
garage, grow large vegetables in a  
backyard, and grapes over a pergola.

Many persons can do one of these  
things, some can do all of them. Doing  
one will help reduce the cost of living  
a little, doing all will help consider-  
ably.

Whoever will plant his backyard or  
the vacant lot next door, to garden  
truck this spring will not only cut  
down his own grocery bills, but he will  
be a benefactor for every one in Waco.  
He will help lower the prices for other  
people.

Intensive gardening will greatly in-  
crease the backyard product. Succes-  
sive crops of vegetables can be raised  
in any garden plot, if one plants right.  
Now is the time to plan.

## WHAT OTHERS SAY

(Portsmouth, N. H., Herald.)  
It is announced from New Jersey  
that a guard has been established over  
the brain of Thomas A. Edison. It has  
been a common impression for many  
years that Mr. Edison's brain was per-  
fectly competent to take care of itself.

(Terre Haute, Ind., Star.)  
Austrians are said to be apathetic  
toward the submarine complications,  
having had so many troubles in recent  
years that a few more are not likely  
to be noticed.

(Boston Transcript.)  
Emperor Charles has appointed Em-  
peror William a grand admiral of the  
Austrian navy. Why this demotion?

Timely Hints For  
the Home Gardner

(Note.—Beginning with this morning's  
issue, the News offers its readers a series  
of three articles dealing with the prob-  
lems of the home gardener. It may be  
said without question that the H. C. L.  
money will make 1917 home gardening  
more popular than ever before. Wacoans  
this year will till more vacant lot space  
than they might ever have believed them-  
selves possible of doing. It is with  
these facts in mind that the News offers  
these three articles. The information is  
supplied by the United States department  
of agriculture and hence the News has  
no doubt as to the value of the material  
contained therein.—Editor.)

No. 1—The Soil, Water, and Fertilizer  
Requirements of a Successful Home  
Garden.

Washington, March 9.—The damage  
done to garden crops by the recent  
widespread freeze has made it neces-  
sary for many owners either to replant  
gardens or to delay planting beyond  
the usual time. These gardeners whose  
outdoor schedules have been upset are  
under the necessity of doing every-  
thing they can to hasten their crops.  
The following suggestions regarding  
the principles and practice of garden-  
ing, the horticultural specialists of the  
United States department of agricul-  
ture believe, will be timely and helpful  
both to these gardeners and to others  
in localities where the planting season  
naturally is later.

The gardener who merely wishes to  
raise vegetables for his own family  
will do well, especially this year, to  
choose the crops he will grow from  
those which previously have done best  
in his special locality. The market  
gardener must bear this fact in mind,  
but also must study the market and  
anticipate its usual demand and deter-  
mine as far as he can how this demand  
will be affected by any untoward  
weather conditions which may have  
occurred in his section.

Those who desire to produce early  
crops should bear in mind that a  
warm, sandy loam will produce an  
earlier crop than a heavier soil that re-  
tains more water and less heat. Frost  
is less apt to injure vegetables planted  
on high ground than those planted in  
low places or valleys into which the  
heavier cold air commonly settles. The  
garden should be fairly level, but well  
drained. The crop will mature more  
rapidly on land that has a sunny,  
southern exposure than in other plots.

The Essentials of Gardening.  
The essentials for successful garden-  
ing on a small or large scale are soil,  
water and cultivation. Much depends  
also on the grower, the season and the  
crops selected.

The soil is the storehouse of plant  
food. The garden, therefore, should  
contain humus or rotted material in  
large quantities. The gardener should  
remember that about 50 per cent of  
ordinary earth is not soil at all, but  
consists of air and water.

Water makes plant food that is pres-  
ent freely soluble. Rain and snow  
water are soft and contain ammonia.  
The magic of soft water on the plant  
world is one of the miracles of good  
gardening, as every one who has con-  
trasted the effect of rain with that  
produced by sprinkling with a hose  
realizes. Plants are succulent and  
contain large amounts of water which  
they have to draw from the soil.

Importance of Good Seed Bed and  
Cultivation.

The conservation of soil moisture is  
the most important reason for culti-  
vating crops. The two other principal  
things accomplished by cultivation are  
the killing of weeds which draw mois-  
ture and plant food from the crops,  
and the aeration of the soil.

Too much stress cannot be laid on  
the preparation of a good seed bed. A  
seed bed of fine tilth—made so by deep  
plowing, careful harrowing and fining  
of the soil—is the foundation of good  
gardening. It is essential for the  
proper germination and growth of  
young plants. The soil must be friable  
and free from clods. A clod can hold  
no plant food in solution, the only form  
in which it is available for the plant.  
Good soil and fine tilth insure an ex-  
cellent root system to plants. Upon  
the fine, hairy, fibrous, feeding roots,  
which are possibly only in well-tilled  
soil, the plant depends for its stock-  
ness and growth. The careful gar-  
dener will regard his whole garden as  
a seed bed and will cultivate and fer-  
tilize it accordingly.

Fertilizers.  
Fertilizers, the plant food for the  
garden, should be carefully selected.  
Nitrogen, which stimulates leaf growth,  
is best supplied by turning under rich,  
well-rotted or composted manure, or  
rotting vegetable matter. Nitrogen  
also is supplied in such fertilizers as  
nitrate of soda and sulphate of am-  
monia, as well as in bone meal and tank-  
age.

Potash tends to hasten the maturity  
of the plant, but also has a tendency  
to counteract the work of nitrogen. On  
this account those not experienced in  
using potash will find safer in most  
cases, than the muriate. On account  
of the disturbed commercial conditions  
one of the most available sources of  
potash is hardwood ashes.

Plants need a balanced ration. If  
they are lacking in nitrogen, they show  
pale leaf and stunted plant form. Ex-  
cess of nitrogen is shown by large leaf  
and plant growth with imperfect fruit.  
If the plants lack potash, they  
will not be fruitful.

Sheep manure will hurry plants  
along more rapidly than most chemical  
fertilizers.

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SENATORS ASKED TO DEPOSE STONE AS  
HEAD OF FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE

Senator Stone, photographed shortly  
after congress adjourned on March 4.  
UNITED States senators at Wash-  
ington report that the "folks  
back home" are demanding that  
a way be found to depose Senator  
William J. Stone of Missouri as chair-  
man of the senate foreign relations

Y. M. C. A. Planning  
State Efficiency Week

The state committee of the Texas  
Young Men's Christian association  
plans a statewide efficiency week for  
March 19-24. During this period sev-  
enty-five to 100 secretaries and busi-  
ness men will visit at least 100 towns  
and cities, interviewing individuals and  
placing before them the larger pro-  
gram of the Y. M. C. A.

G. S. Bilheimer, field secretary of  
the international committee for the  
western district, will have direction of  
the campaigners during the whole  
week.

The secretaries of the state com-  
mittee, L. A. Coulter, J. L. Hunter and  
J. R. Wilson, are at the present time  
visiting a number of communities for  
a preliminary set-up for efficiency  
week.

Electric power is being substituted  
for older forms of energy in Bombay's  
extensive cotton mills.

Open up a Health  
Account by eating  
foods that make you fit for  
the day's work without  
overtaxing the stomach,  
kidneys or liver. The con-  
tinued eating of indigestible  
foods with large percentage  
of waste means diseased  
livers and poisoned intes-  
tines. Keep your stomach  
sweet and clean and your  
bowels healthy and active  
by eating Shredded Wheat  
Biscuit. It is easily digested.  
It contains all the material  
needed for the nourishment  
of the human body. Open a  
health account for you to  
draw upon. For breakfast  
or any meal with milk or  
cream. Made at Niagara  
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## A Year Ahead

Tailor made clothes are one  
year ahead of the clothier  
—the tailoring fashions of  
last year are the clothing  
models of today.

The fashions that were ap-  
proved at the tailoring con-  
ventions are the styles I furnish—  
in addition the lines conform  
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New tailoring samples are here  
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to show.

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"Mayor of Waco, Texas: Dear Sir—  
The National Security league desires  
to know the sentiment of your city on  
the question of universal military  
training.

"We are working earnestly to secure  
this legislation and know no better  
way to learn the opinion of American  
communities than by seeking informa-  
tion from the mayors. Congressmen  
are also waiting to learn how the  
American people stand on this ques-  
tion.

"You can help us in our effort to  
report the present attitude of the  
American people on this important  
topic if you will take a few minutes'  
time to answer the inclosed questions.  
A stamped envelope for the reply is  
inclosed.

"Thanking you in advance for your  
courtesy, I am,

"Very truly yours,  
"S. STANWOOD MENKEN,  
"Chairman, Executive Committee."

Well, What Do You Think,  
Gentry's Coming With Floto

We received a letter from H. B. Gen-  
try yesterday stating that he had ac-  
cepted the position as president and  
general manager of the Sells-Floto cir-  
cus and will pay Waco a visit this  
season.

We are glad to hear old Gen is tak-  
ing over the management of the circus  
and will shake his circus-paw when he  
lands in Waco.

"I shall look forward to my trip  
to Waco and meeting you when the  
bluebirds sing again and the sun  
streams down upon the canvas and the  
banners of the show lot," writes J. H.

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How the President Plans  
To Meet German Menace

Germany's supreme affront to the United States is contained in the amazing document of the Ger-  
man Foreign Minister, Dr. Zimmermann, addressed, through Count von Bernstorff to German Min-  
ister von Eckhardt, in Mexico City. In this communication Germany proposes that Mexico shall join  
with Japan in warring upon the United States and "reconquer" Mexico's "lost territory in New Mexico,  
Texas and Arizona."

In the San Antonio Light, published in Texas, one of the states to be "reconquered" by Mexico, we  
read that "the people of Texas view with complacency the cold-blooded proposition by Germany and  
Japan in a war against the United States. They have no fear that such a thing will happen to them.  
They know that even though left entirely to their own resources, they will be able to avoid compulsory  
Mexican citizenship. It is conceivable that enormous Japanese and German armies advancing through  
Mexico might, for a time, occupy Texas, but Mexico would gain no population thereby. It can be as-  
serted with quiet modesty and simple truth that when Texas had been overrun such Texans as were  
still living would be beyond or on the border fighting their way home."

In THE LITERARY DIGEST for March 10th, the leading article covers with a wealth of detail all the facts concerning  
the torpedoing of the Laconia, the paralysis of our overseas commerce by Germany's U-boat threats, and the revelation of  
her amazing plot to embroil us with Mexico and Japan.

Other articles that should be read with uncommon interest are:

## Making the United States Spy-Proof and Boom-Proof

Measures Being Taken to Offset the Work of the "Hundred Thousand Spies" Claimed to Be Active in This Country.

Woman Suffrage Drive on Eastern Front  
How Germany Menaces Holland  
The British Successes on the Western Front  
Brain-Tests of Animals  
Saving Daylight and Electricity  
King Alfonso's Artistic Courtesy  
Sir Oliver Lodge's Book Assailed  
Wesleyan's Relief Work in Warring Countries

Description of the Submarine That Alarms  
Britain  
Germany's "Forbearance" to America  
Putting the Cripple on the Pay-Roll  
Doctoring the Streets  
German Substitutes for Food, Metal and Textile  
Bernard Shaw Describes the War Front  
Belgium's Clandestine Journalism  
The Church's Hand in Our Foreign Relations

Striking Illustrations, Including Those Showing a British Submarine Trap, and How the Steel Nets Catch a Torpedo.

## "The Digest" Appeals to All Sorts and Conditions of Men

"There are as many viewpoints," says the Roman poet, "as  
there are men," and our modern civilization has not tended  
to alter the essential truth of this old-world epigram. In  
this country particularly has liberty of thought been fos-  
tered, so that every man and woman has an individual opin-  
ion upon the burning questions of the day in politics, art,  
religion, science, social matters, and so forth. Is there, then,  
in the multiplicity of periodicals published continually all

over the land one upon which they can all combine as rep-  
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EXTRA SESSION.

By Associated Press.  
Austin, March 9.—The house today laid on the table subject to call a sine die adjournment resolution for March 16. It was signed by forty-nine members. The resolution calling for an amendment to the constitution allowing pensioners to qualify who had come in the state since 1910 instead of 1906, as at present, was defeated. Amendments to the general irrigation laws were taken up. The new bill is formed of 140 sections. Less than one-seventh of these had been considered at noon. Amendments to the bill reducing the membership of the board of water engineers to one member were defeated, and an amendment refusing to allow any increase in the salary of the secretary of the board was adopted.

**MONTH BEFORE SPECIAL SESSION**  
By Associated Press.  
Austin, March 9.—A committee from the house and senate today conferred with Governor Ferguson relative to final adjournment of the legislature and as a result the governor informed the committee if the legislature remained in session until about March 20, at which time it is expected the investigation will have been finished, that he will not recall the lawmakers immediately in extra session; that he will give the lawmakers one month off and recall them on April 26 for the extraordinary session.

It is understood the governor is also planning a vacation to be taken in June. This plan suggested by the governor appears satisfactory to most of the members.

**BILLS PASSED BY SENATE.**  
By Associated Press.  
Austin, March 9.—The senate passed finally today the senate bill by Senator Gibson amending the co-insurance law so as to make the provisions of co-insurance optional and to be participated in by all classes of insurance risks.

There also was passed finally the bill by Senator Dean fixing a five-year limitation for the collection of delinquent taxes. The Dallas county court bill was passed finally in the senate.

The anti-blacklisting bill by Senator Strickland was under consideration in the senate today.

Senator Page offered an amendment to the anti-blacklisting bill that if an employer gives truthful information about an employee as to character, honesty and integrity, such employer shall not be molested in court. This amendment was pending when the senate recessed until this afternoon.

When the senate met, consideration of the amendment and bill was resumed.

**SENATOR HENDERSON ILL.**  
By Associated Press.  
Austin, March 9.—Senator John M.

## Back to the Farm Will Result from the H. C. L.

Special to the News.  
Dallas, March 10.—"Perhaps the high prices now prevailing for farm products," said Col. E. W. Kirkpatrick, president of the Texas Industrial congress, today, "may start a back-to-the-farm movement, just as low prices for wheat, corn, cattle and cotton have been partly responsible in the past for driving people from the farms to the cities. The hard lessons of experience are necessary, it seems, to make people realize the great importance of better soil preparation, and cultivation of food and feedstuffs, and of the practice of thrift and economy in the use of our natural advantages and raw materials."

## Leaves Austin to Muster Out National Guardsmen

By Associated Press.  
Austin, March 9.—Maj. J. T. Stockton, disbursing officer of the federalized national guard of Texas, left today for Fort Sam Houston to muster out of the federal service the national guardsmen of Texas. The first regiment to be mustered out is to be the Fourth Texas, now stationed at Fort Sam Houston. It is planned to have all of the state troops mustered out by April 1.

## Evangelist Brown in Waxahachie Meeting

Special to the News.  
Waxahachie, March 9.—The John E. Brown evangelistic campaign in progress here is attracting thousands to the Brown tabernacle every night. A choir composed of more than 100 voices furnishes music for the meeting. The meeting, which began here Sunday, will continue thru the present month.

## Ft. Worth Man Acquitted of Murder Charge Friday

By Associated Press.  
Fort Worth, March 9.—F. L. Green was acquitted this afternoon of the murder of Roy Tipton of Dallas last January. The jury was out two hours. Self-defense was the plea.

**CARD OF THANKS.**  
We wish to express to our many friends and loved ones our sincere thanks and gratitude for the beautiful offerings of flowers and the gracious acts of kindness bestowed during our bereavement at the loss of our loved one, Mary Hortense Foster.  
T. W. FOSTER.  
MISSISS GILES.  
W. N. FOSTER AND FAMILY.  
HORN FAMILY.  
(Adv.)

Patronize Y. W. C. A. women's exchange for eatables, Easter cards and gifts. Special sale every Friday morning.—Adv.

Henderson, president pro tem. of the senate, whose home is at Dingerfield, Morris county, is reported seriously ill at his apartments here. He is suffering with an attack of erysipelas. He has not been in attendance on the senate for the past several days.

## POE, FORMER TEMPLE BANK PRESIDENT, CALLED IN PROBE

INTEREST CENTERS YESTERDAY  
ABOUT FERGUSON'S FINANCES  
IN AUSTIN QUIZ.

By Associated Press.  
Austin, March 9.—Efforts on the part of Attorney M. M. Crane to show that Governor Ferguson made a contract with W. A. Achilles, grocer, for "light, heat, water and incidentals" in order to obtain groceries for the executive mansion and evade the legislative appropriation bills consumed a short session of the Davis house investigating committee this morning.

Achilles was put on the witness stand. When Mr. Crane had finished with him, Attorney W. A. Hanger, for Governor Ferguson, came right back and elicited testimony from the witness which tended to show that the governor made the contract with the grocer in order to cut down the high cost of living.

Mr. Crane asked Achilles on redirect examination why, when he contracted to supply the mansion on the \$1,796 warrant from the fund known as "Y-16," he did not write "groceries" into the agreement, instead of using the word, "incidentals." Achilles said that it had been customary to supply the mansion groceries under the head of "incidentals."

**Queried on Customs.**  
"Do you order groceries from your wholesaler as 'incidentals'?" asked Mr. Crane.

"No," replied Mr. Achilles.

"Is it admitted that the automobiles, repairs for which have been engaged and the horses, feed for which has been purchased by Governor Ferguson, are the private property of the governor?" asked Mr. Crane.

Mr. Hanger admitted this was so, but added that some of the feed purchased was for "cows, which are also the private property of the governor."

A. W. Achilles, the Austin grocer with whom Governor Ferguson contracted for supplies for the mansion, then was called. He testified that his proposal included the furnishing of fuel, water and light, as well as groceries for the mansion. He said his own business was the sale of groceries, but that he agreed for the governor's convenience to pay such fuel and light bills as were approved "by the proper authorities." He had furnished supplies for the mansion under the Colquitt administration and said the proposition was made to him to furnish such supplies to Governor Ferguson.

"It looked good to me as a business proposition," he said.

Achilles told of contracting to furnish all supplies included in the \$2,000 appropriation for water, light, fuel and incidentals for \$1,796.65, which was the amount remaining in this fund at that time. He said he intended to put this money, which he would have drawn before delivery of the supplies, in the bank in his own name as a special fund against which he would check as supplies were furnished.

Cross-examined by Mr. Hanger, the witness said the governor discussed with him the rise in food prices and told him that because of the war, he wanted to guarantee the mansion against increasing prices. It was understood that the supplies to be furnished the mansion would be at prices prevailing when the contract was made, Achilles said.

Mr. Hanger offered in evidence the proposal submitted by Mr. Achilles to the governor to "supply all fuel, water, light and incidentals for the mansion and grounds, not in excess of \$1,796.65" for that amount. This proposal bore date of September 1, 1915, and was approved by the governor the same day. It contained the phrase, "as stipulated in the appropriation," made for the mansion by the Thirty-fourth legislature.

At the afternoon session, former Governor Sayers was called to the stand. He testified that during his term of office, extending from 1899 to 1903, not a dollar of appropriations for the governor's mansion was spent for anything except items designated in the appropriation bills. These items included upkeep of the mansion and grounds, ice, heat and light and not for groceries, meats, vegetables and fruits.

He said he paid for these out of his own pocket and also for all entertainments.

He said that when the legislature

## Compulsory Attendance Law Claimed Illegal

By Associated Press.  
Austin, March 9.—Constitutionality of the compulsory school attendance law of the Thirty-fourth legislature is assailed in an appeal filed in the court of criminal appeals by J. E. Butler, from Palo Pinto county. It is charged he violated the law by keeping his son, Alvin Butler, from attending school during the compulsory attendance period. Butler was fined \$5 in the county court of Palo Pinto county and has appealed to the higher court on the grounds that the act is unconstitutional.

Invited President McKinley to Austin, he paid the cost of entertainment himself. The cost was \$500. He also entertained William J. Bryan at his own expense.

Mr. Crane said former Governor Campbell was subpoenaed, but would not arrive until tomorrow.

H. C. Poe, former president of the Temple State bank, was called. Mr. Crane said that in view of "hotness" of the case he wanted all witnesses sworn. These included many from Temple. After being sworn in, all but Poe retired from the hearing room.

Mr. Crane asked for Commissioner of Banking C. O. Austin to be called, as he had refused to let the attorney see the records of the Temple State bank. Mr. Poe said he left Eastland two years ago to go to Temple with Governor Ferguson in the state bank. This was at the governor's instance, he said.

The bank had a capital of \$125,000 and a surplus of \$32,000 then.

"Governor Ferguson was president of the bank," Poe said. "I succeeded him, buying some of the stock."

He said the governor owed \$20,000 to the bank, and a ranch in which Governor Ferguson was interested owed it another \$30,000.

**Discuss All Notes.**

Later on he said he found the bank held notes of John McKay for \$9,000 and of John J. Spires of Temple for \$8,500, which Governor Ferguson said were really his obligations. He said there were other notes, one of \$20,000 from Will Wallace, a farmer, a brother-in-law of Mr. Ferguson, for which the governor, he understood, claimed responsibility.

He said a \$2,000 note of the Temple Telegram was paid off by the governor.

He said the entire amount of the governor's obligations, about \$122,000, as he remembered it.

Poe said he talked with Governor Ferguson about reducing his obligations in Austin and on the governor's ranch. He said the governor told him that if they could keep an average balance of \$15,000 or \$18,000 with the Houston National Exchange bank of Houston, he could borrow \$50,000 or \$60,000 from them for settlement of his accounts in the Temple bank.

He said no credit was ever obtained from the Houston bank.

Poe said subsequently Judge Spann of Bell county's note for \$20,000 and some coal mine bonds worth \$20,000 were turned in by the governor to be credited to his personal account. He refused to accept these, he said.

**Turned Them Down.**

"I hated to turn them down, I told the governor, but I couldn't afford to take them," said the witness.

Governor Ferguson had his own account, the governor's account and the Belle-Bosque account in the Temple bank.

The governor's personal and ranch accounts were overdrawn, he said.

He said he wanted to help the governor and obtained \$25,000 worth of discounts which were credited to Mr. Ferguson.

Poe balked at going into details of the governor's accounts. In view of their past relations, he said he would rather go to jail.

Attorney Hanger and Governor Ferguson broke in then to demand that Poe go on.

"You bet your life," said the governor.

Poe was instructed to continue by the committee.

The governor continued along, he said, until June, when he told him that he "simply could not" honor the executive's checks. The governor was overdrawn \$29,000, he said.

At a conversation on the balcony of the Rice hotel, Houston, Poe testified, Mr. Ferguson told him he would make a substantial deposit, but that none was later received. At the time of the senatorial election the governor explained, Poe continued, that he had been disappointed in obtaining money.

**Planned Stock Selling.**

Subsequently, the witness said, the governor talked about selling his stock, which he thought worth about \$37,000, in the Temple bank. This and the sale of other stock, Poe said, would reduce the governor's Temple bank indebtedness to about \$10,000. This was in November, 1916.

The governor's indebtedness at this time was about \$140,000.

Poe subsequently came to Austin to close the deal to reduce the governor's indebtedness, he said, but the governor then wanted \$48,000 for his bank stock. Poe said he could not agree to this price.

The governor's indebtedness subsequently totalled \$170,000, Poe said. When he talked with the state's executive again, Mr. Ferguson told him that if he could not run the bank to suit him (the governor) he could "get out."

Mr. Hanger objected to introduction of the books of the bank, but was overruled.

A directors' meeting was held, Poe said, at which the governor's indebtedness was discussed.

Interrogated by Mr. Hanger as to whether it was not a fact that the governor's indebtedness to the Temple bank at the time he resigned to become governor was only \$22,000, Poe said he could not tell. He testified that he handled the transactions whereby the governor's note and the Bell-Bosque ranch note, \$30,000 each, were given. He said the notes were made five days after he succeeded Mr. Ferguson as president, the governor "simply showing" them to him.

Questioning by Attorney Hanger brought from Poe admissions that he had on occasions approved overdrafts on the governor's accounts.

## COMBINATION WELL STRUCK-SANTA ANNA

1,500,000 FEET OF GAS PER DAY  
MAY DEVELOP  
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Special to the News.

Santa Anna, March 9.—The Robertsons brought in a combination oil and gas well on their ranch south of town this week. Lewis A. Robertson estimates that the well will produce at least ten barrels of oil and 1,500,000 feet of gas a day. This is the first combination well ever brought in in this field. The gas was struck a little below 1,000 feet in a six-inch hole. It was cased off with a sleeve joint opposite the gas sand and the hole was taken on down forty-five feet to the another stratum of sand and in this the oil was found. A four-inch casing brings the oil up and the six-inch casing around it brings up the gas.

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### CORN

"A-1" soft sweet variety of fancy Corn, packed in sanitary cans—  
Special—6 Cans for 75c

### Van Camp's Pork and Beans

—Dry Navy Beans are worth today 15c per pound—12 cans of Van Camp's No. 1 Beans contain 8 1-3 pounds. This makes \$1.25 worth of Beans in one dozen cans, which we sell—  
Special: No. 1 Cans—\$1.00 per Dozen.  
Special: No 2 Cans—\$1.75 per Dozen

### RICE

—We have several hundred pounds of fancy Full Head Selected Rice—large grains, of even size. Extra Special 10 lbs. for 75c.

### PEACHES

—"Griffon Brand" best selected Fancy Melba Peaches, packed in sanitary tins; thick syrup, large Peaches. A regular 35c seller—  
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### MARKET DEPT

—Our Market Department is under the management of Mr. C. A. Summers, formerly with the Live Oak Market of Dallas. We say without doubt we have the most sanitary, systematic and up-to-date market in Waco. Our market has always scored perfect with the pure food department of Waco and is always open for inspection. —For Saturday we offer all cuts of fancy Beef—beef selected and slaughtered for us by Morris & Co. of Oklahoma City, government inspected.

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—Watch for these special announcements TOMORROW and every day in the Morning News. There is profit and entertainment in keeping up with what the stores are doing.

—Reading the advertisements of leading merchants, who use the Morning News advertising columns almost daily, is one of the best ways to keep posted on what's new in merchandise—just as you read the News to keep in touch with the news events of the world from day to day.



## POLLY AND HER PALS—HERE'S ONE DOLLAR THAT'LL NEVER BE PAID.



BY STERRETT, FAMOUS NEWS CARTOONIST.

# "POP" COULDN'T WATCH PRACTICE—DON'T BLAME 'IM

WHEN A MAN'S CHICKEN'S HATCH IT'S A POOR TIME FOR BASE-BALL DOPE, EH, WHAT?—

By "Pop" Boone.

I didn't get to see the work-out yesterday afternoon. My old Dominecker hen brought off fourteen big Rhode Island Red youngsters just about the time I was due to go to the park and—well, you wouldn't have me leave home at such a time would you? Nothing startling happened at Katy Park, however, unless you want to consider as startling the fact that one "cut loose" a few rather keen hitters.

It was a windy day and the practice game was short and sharp.

No new men showed up; no word came from Mal; no definite news was given out regarding another outfielder, although Hardy admitted he was combing the tall timbers for the man he wants; no definite news was received concerning Conwell, although he is expected Sunday or Monday.

No Catching Job Is Concluded.

One thing has developed this week to a certainty—none of the three backstoppers here has a cinch on a job. Both Mann and Harkins have shown so much ability that it begins to look like one of Hardy's big jobs is to decide which one of the three will land the regular job.

Waco fans will like Harkins because he comes from the same league as Al Walters. Harkins was out of the game last year, but the season before that he played in the Canadian league. While larger than Walters, he has many of his characteristics, not the least of which is a whip that hasn't a superior in the game.

Vann Comes from Coast.

Vann is a big fellow who was good enough to stick around Oakland all last year—and the Pacific Coast is next door to the majors. The Oaks, however, made arrangements for a veteran and Hardy was lucky enough to get the youngster. He looks to have a good steady hand, an accurate arm and shows signs of using a good deal of judgment in handling young pitchers.

Waco fans will have a chance to look these two over today, as it is likely Hardy will work both of them, to get a line on how they look in action.

Hardy said last night he would likely start the game today with Head or Davenport in the box. Both are youngsters with but slight league experience. Donaldson probably may work a couple of innings also. In the Sunday game the fans will have an opportunity to look over Teague, a left-hander from the Virginia league, and Blunk, who had a good season last year in the Central Association. Teague will have the crowd with him because he came from the same league that gave them Bittle and Causey. While he hasn't cut loose much yet, he has shown terrific speed with little effort. Blunk's chief foible is a left-handed curve, which is a splitter, although he is known to possess about everything that goes to the making of a good flinger.

McGraw Wants to Win.

That McGraw wants to win his games here is shown by the mixed team he is sending. While they are called the "Giant Colts," he is sending a pretty

## BOWLING

None of the ten bowlers who participated in the bowling games last night between the Maennerchor and D. C. V. teams of the City league rolled better or as good as 500. Berlich's score of 494 for the three games was the best of the crop—and to get it he had to pile up 204 pins in the last game.

As is usual in tight games, the home team, the D. C. V.s, won two out of three games of the series.

The scores follow:

Maennerchor—  
Wosnig ..... 155 187 133—475  
Angelo ..... 167 147 163—477  
Rhea ..... 139 136 193—428  
Hitchcock ..... 143 157 130—429  
Berlich ..... 145 204—494

D. C. V.—  
Pennelle ..... 175 162 147—484  
Drucke ..... 129 154 145—428  
Wosnig ..... 145 180 162—487  
Tietz ..... 168 169 157—492  
Servatius ..... 167 161 160—488

Totals ..... 751 769 828—2348

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stiff proposition over, with at least three regulars.

McGraw figures—and rightly, too—that it isn't any too good for a youngster to lose, especially to a minor club.

Also, he comes from the good, old-fashioned school that wins every game it can, no matter where or against whom.

Every ball club that issues the Giant camp does so with instructions to start winning early and win as overwhelmingly as possible.

So he is sending Dave Robertson over as a clean-up man. Dave showed the pace in the National league last year.

Most of the way, Burns was behind him—probably the fastest man in the older major. The other outfielder, Murray, is spoken of as a near-regular this year, being first reserve man in the outfield.

Part of the receiving will be done by McGraw's star, McCarthy. One of the Little Napoleons' keenest deals last year was the trading of Chief Meyers for this McCarthy—and it is generally agreed that Jawns didn't get the worst of it.

On the infield will be seen Killduff, said to be one of the best of the young delegation garnered this year, as well as Rodriguez. Among the pitchers will be Middleton, the sensation of the American Association last year, when he practically won the pennant for the Louisville Colonels. Our old friend Zeke Lohman also will be along. The team will take a charge of Hans Lobert.

It doesn't take a very keen fan to figure out a couple of real ball games today and tomorrow, in addition to the fact that local bugs are to have their first opportunity to look over their pennant hopefuls. The games on both days start at 3:30 o'clock.

LOCAL COURTS

NINETEENTH DISTRICT COURT.

George N. Denton, Judge.

R. V. McClain, Clerk.

B. I. Maddox vs. Felix Flowers, suit to cancel contract, on trial.

FIFTY-FOURTH DISTRICT COURT.

Richard I. Munroe, Judge.

R. V. McClain, Clerk.

Court not in session.

SEVENTY-FOURTH DISTRICT COURT.

Erwin J. Clark, Judge.

R. V. McClain, Clerk.

Upholer & Faulk vs. Edwards Company, debt, on trial.

COUNTY COURT.

James P. Alexander, Judge.

J. W. Baker, Clerk.

State vs. R. Siegal, theft; verdict of not guilty.

JUSTICE COURTS.

T. Edgar Johnson, Justice.

No orders.

Giles P. Lester, Justice.

State vs. Walter Parrott, horse theft; case dismissed.

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## FIRE MEET WAXES WARM WHEN RISK MEN SEEK PROBE

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getting rid of the "ordinary lamp cord," declaring it dangerous. He thought, furthermore, that cities should have the power to send men into residences to inspect wiring, just as health authorities have the power to enter premises.

Dollins Supports Department.

Mayor John Dollins thought the fire department was good, but possibly had weak points. He believed that over-insurance, permitted by some agents, was responsible for many fires. He took a fall out of the state fire marshal and the abuses he believed to exist there.

"I do not believe that the fire marshals should be allowed to jerk up good citizens, put them through a 'third degree' and treat them unbecomingly, when perhaps there is nothing at all to warrant such procedure. I do not believe any such course is proper," said Mayor Dollins.

W. W. Seley thought Waco ought not to be penalized because the city has had a run of fires recently.

Companies at Loss.

"But most of the companies doing business in Waco have gone out of the city with a loss for the past five years," responded Chairman Jarreau.

J. H. Mackey asked for specific data as to losses during a period of years, but it was stated this compilation was not absolutely complete.

Wirt Leake of Dallas, special agent of the North British and Mercantile company and Commonwealth Insurance company of New York, said one of his companies had had a loss of 165 per cent for five years in Waco, and another a little above 90 per cent, not counting cost of running business.

"Waco's present key rate of 21c is predicated on conditions existing ten years ago, and the system is now inadequate," said Mr. Leake. Further, he said:

Says Lack of Harmony.

"I understand that your fire department is not harmonious, and therefore you cannot get the best service. You have midnight fires in Waco, too, all suggesting hazard. Let's all be frank. Some companies are talking of withdrawing from Waco."

Members of the board who are in the city also say that there is complaint regarding the steady losses which have been recorded for several months. Members of the board have been meeting with members of the city commission, and have put the matter of betterments squarely up to that body, said Mayor John Dollins yesterday.

Present in the city representing the state fire insurance department are Messrs. Baker, Hennigan, McKnight and Godley.

A set of high grade band instruments at about one-half price. Instruments of all kinds repaired. Prices reasonable. Charles Parker, Waco, Texas, 508 1-2 Franklin St.

DRY GOODS.

New York, March 9.—Cotton goods for converting and manufacturing were firm and moderately active today. Finished goods were quiet and yarns irregular. Wool products were firm and less active and ready-to-wear goods quiet.

LINSEED.

Duluth, Minn., March 9.—Linseed oil \$2.92½@2.93½. May \$2.94½. July \$2.96½.

WACO MARKETS.

Grain and Cotton by Sem Nix, Public Wharfer.

Spot cotton 14½c; middling 17½c. Wheat—11.85.

Corn—11.00@11.15. Oats—62½c@65c.

Big Four Packing Company.

Eggs, per dozen, 25c; packing butter, lb. 10c; turkeys, hen 15c, to 16c; ducks, per lb. 10c; guinea, each, 15c; old roosters, per lb. 10c; hen, per pound, 14c; beeswax, per pound, 20c.

Prices Current on Square.

Johnson grass hay, \$18@20.00, prairie hay \$18@20.00, millet \$20@22.00, alfalfa \$25; sorghum \$18.

Robinson Packing Company.

Hogs, per pound, 12½c; cattle, per pound, 5½c@6½c; steers, 6½c per pound; veal 5½c@6½c per pound.

ant captain for each company in the department.

"Fire hydrants often are obstructed, and you have no traffic regulations as to such obstructions."

Following this summary, L. Migel was called on, and said Waco would meet any conditions found to exist.

Fire Commissioner Ben C. Richards spoke briefly, but plainly, asking that an examination be made of the department, and action would be taken on the verdict reached. He thought the department was good as far as it went, but that there are not enough men to man the apparatus.

"I believe there are enough fire stations, though, and shall recommend closing one that we already have, and that we put more men on the apparatus. I am not in favor of a paid department, but if it is found best for Waco, I am ready to vote for it." This was the statement made by Commissioner Richards. He spoke of details of fire matters generally.

Mayor John Dollins suggested the naming of a committee by the Chamber of Commerce, Y. M. B. L., Rotarians and Lions, this committee to make an inspection of the fire department and apparatus, reporting back to a meeting like the one in session, action to be based on that in session, action of the state fire insurance officials.

W. W. Crawford said that a bond issue had been ordered for the purpose of strengthening the fire department, and believed that with a committee, suggested by Mayor Dollins, intelligent action could be taken as to the bonds. The people could thus be informed and educated.

H. D. Driscoll of the Chamber of Commerce assured the gathering of the cordial support of the organization in any move for solving the problem.

E. E. Fitzhugh thought that in addition to possible inadequacy in the fire department equipment there also was a possible firebug operating, suggesting steps to capture any such persons by offering a reward.

It was decided that the committees suggested by Mayor Dollins and urged by W. W. Crawford shall be named, to make a thorough investigation of the fire department and apparatus.

State Gets Busy.

Claiming that the firefighting apparatus in Waco is inadequate and overtaxed, and that it would not stand a strain should a big fire get started here, and declaring further that unless Waco comes up to required tests the rate is to be increased on insurance risks, members of the state fire insurance department will today start a series of tests of apparatus.

These tests will not be completed before next week, and a report on results will be made. Action according to findings will result. The inspection will be piece by piece. It will be thorough.

Members of the board who are in the city also say that there is complaint regarding the steady losses which have been recorded for several months. Members of the board have been meeting with members of the city commission, and have put the matter of betterments squarely up to that body, said Mayor John Dollins yesterday.

Present in the city representing the state fire insurance department are Messrs. Baker, Hennigan, McKnight and Godley.

A set of high grade band instruments at about one-half price. Instruments of all kinds repaired. Prices reasonable. Charles Parker, Waco, Texas, 508 1-2 Franklin St.

DRY GOODS.

New York, March 9.—Cotton goods for converting and manufacturing were firm and moderately active today. Finished goods were quiet and yarns irregular. Wool products were firm and less active and ready-to-wear goods quiet.

LINSEED.

Duluth, Minn., March 9.—Linseed oil \$2.92½@2.93½. May \$2.94½. July \$2.96½.

WACO MARKETS.

Grain and Cotton by Sem Nix, Public Wharfer.

Spot cotton 14½c; middling 17½c. Wheat—11.85.

Corn—11.00@11.15. Oats—62½c@65c.

Big Four Packing Company.

Eggs, per dozen, 25c; packing butter, lb. 10c; turkeys, hen 15c, to 16c; ducks, per lb. 10c; guinea, each, 15c; old roosters, per lb. 10c; hen, per pound, 14c; beeswax, per pound, 20c.

Prices Current on Square.

Johnson grass hay, \$18@20.00, prairie hay \$18@20.00, millet \$20@22.00, alfalfa \$25; sorghum \$18.

Robinson Packing Company.

Hogs, per pound, 12½c; cattle, per pound, 5½c@6½c; steers, 6½c per pound; veal 5½c@6½c per pound.

## MARKET NEWS AND REPORTS

By Associated Press.

New York, March 9.—There was a renewal of covering and trade buying of the near months in the cotton market today and prices recovered part of the reaction, with May contracts selling up to 17.74 or 25 points net higher. Part of this gain was lost under realizing, with May closing at 17.65 and the general list steady at a net advance of 6 to 21 points.

Early fluctuations were somewhat irregular owing to continued nervousness over shipping conditions. After opening in response to higher Liverpool cables and overnight covering orders, the market reacted slightly under further scattering of liquidation or local pressure. Offerings were enough to suggest that the long interest had considerably reduced on the decline of the previous day, however, and prices were assisted by some Liverpool cotton positions. Bullish weekly Liverpool statistics also attracted considerable attention. Last prices showed reactions of 8 or 10 points from the best, an embargo had been placed on shipments of Egyptian cotton to neutral countries via Liverpool and in British bottoms.

HESTER'S WEEKLY STATEMENT.

(Comparisons are to actual dates; not to close of corresponding weeks).

In Sight—  
Same 7 days last year ..... 108,000  
Same 7 days year before ..... 148,000  
Same date last year ..... 128,000  
Same date year before ..... 138,000  
Same date last year ..... 10,944,000  
Same date year before ..... 10,213,000  
Port receipts—  
Same date last year ..... 5,878,000  
Same date year before ..... 5,129,000  
Same date last year ..... 8,557,000  
Same date year before ..... 8,557,000  
Same date last year ..... 1,041,000  
Same date year before ..... 1,041,000  
Same date last year ..... 841,000  
Same date year before ..... 841,000  
Same date last year ..... 2,370,000  
Same date year before ..... 2,370,000  
Same date last year ..... 2,426,000  
Same date year before ..... 2,426,000  
August 1—  
This year ..... 654,000  
Last year ..... 654,000  
Year before ..... 654,000  
For week ..... 70,000  
Same 7 days last year ..... 83,000  
Same 7 days year before ..... 83,000  
For season ..... 313,000  
Same date last year ..... 313,000  
Same date year before ..... 313,000  
Northern spinners' takings—  
Same date last year ..... 5,727,000  
Same date year before ..... 5,727,000  
Same date last year ..... 57,000  
Same date year before ..... 57,000  
For season ..... 1,941,000  
To same date last year ..... 2,216,000

Spinnings Takings.

Hester's statement of spinners' takings of American cotton throughout the world:

Same 7 days last year ..... 209,000  
Same 7 days year before ..... 209,000  
Same date last year ..... 9,417,000  
Same date year before ..... 9,417,000  
Same date last year ..... 1,165,000  
Same date year before ..... 1,165,000

World's Visible Supply.

Total visible ..... 4,583,000  
This week ..... 4,583,000  
Last week ..... 4,583,000  
Same date last year ..... 4,583,000  
Same date year before ..... 4,583,000  
Same date last year ..... 7,824,000  
Same date year before ..... 7,824,000  
This week ..... 2,855,000  
Last week ..... 2,855,000  
Same date last year ..... 2,855,000  
Same date year before ..... 2,855,000  
Year before ..... 6,030,000  
All other kinds ..... 928,000  
Last week ..... 928,000  
This week ..... 928,000  
Same date last year ..... 1,525,000  
Same date year before ..... 1,525,000  
Visible in U. S. ..... 1,594,000  
This week ..... 2,230,000  
Last week ..... 2,230,000  
Same date last year ..... 2,230,000  
Visible in other countries ..... 2,353,000  
This week ..... 2,353,000  
Last week ..... 2,353,000  
Same date last year ..... 2,353,000  
This date last year ..... 2,353,000

COTTON SEED OIL.

New York, March 9.—Cotton seed oil was higher early on the bullish showing in hogs and grain, but later eased off under selling by local longs and the west side support. Final prices were 4 to 15 points net lower. Tenders were 600 barrels.

Spot (bid) sales, 45,800 barrels.

March ..... 13.30  
April ..... 13.30@13.35  
May ..... 13.32@13.35  
June ..... 13.33@13.36  
July ..... 13.34@13.36  
August ..... 13.35@13.38  
September ..... 13.36@13.39  
October ..... 13.37@13.41  
November ..... 13.38@13.41  
December ..... 13.39@13.41  
January ..... 13.40@13.41  
February ..... 13.41@13.41  
March-April ..... 13.42@13.41

NEW YORK COFFEE.

New York, March 9.—There was a sharp rally in the coffee futures market here today, the impression being that the technical position had strengthened. The opening was unchanged to 1 point lower off from the best under realizing and showed a net gain of 7 to 10 points.

March ..... 7.37  
April ..... 7.37  
May ..... 7.37  
June ..... 7.37  
July ..... 7.37  
August ..... 7.37  
September ..... 7.37  
October ..... 7.37  
November ..... 7.37  
December ..... 7.37  
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February ..... 7.37  
March-April ..... 7.37

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## Classified Rates

Insertion, per word..... 1c  
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 2nd insertion, per word..... 3c  
 Additional insertions, per word..... 4c  
 No ad taken for less than 25c  
 Sunday paper is counted as daily.  
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## Special Notice

**WE DO WHAT WE SAY!**  
 Highest prices paid for men's second-hand clothing. Beerman, 204 S. 8th St., phone 4847.  
**WANTED—Second-hand furniture and stoves.** Phone 4590.  
**MISS MINNIE OWENS**  
 Public stenographer, Notary Public, 711 Amicable Bldg., phone 717.  
**KAHN BROS.** tailored clothes, O. K. Tailors, 614 Washington St. We clean anything, phone 566. Prompt delivery, guaranteed work, Lucas.  
**FOR NICE service cars**  
 CALL 3171  
 Stand Raleigh Hotel.

**WANTED—To buy your second-hand furniture.** Just starting in business; will pay highest price. Also want to sell some extraordinary bargains in furniture, gas stoves and refrigerators. R. W. Reinke, new and second-hand furniture and stoves, phone 4081 or 2569, 120 Bridge St.  
**LADIES—Hair switches, transformations, curls made from combings.** Work guaranteed. Mrs. Koeppe, 717 S. Third, Phone 3224.

**WANTED—To make dress form as U are.** I also teach the business. Phone 4167.  
**ORDER your suit from A. F. Fisher,** 203 Franklin St.

**TEXAS PLAINING MILL and Cabinet Co.** will make you a cabinet to order. 321-323 Elm St., phone 911.

**MANICURING** taught by graduate. For full particulars call 770.

**ON THE WAY TO Day's Lake,** the site of the new Huaco Club, is Oaklawn Terrace. Buy your lot before the prices are changed. See Bruck, 723 Washington St.

**CHAS. H. T. THOMAS (Colored)**  
 Notary Public; dealer in Real Estate; Commission Salesman and Intelligence Office. 111 1/2 Bridge St. Phone 1377.

**TENTS.**  
 When you want to buy, rent or sell tents go to Ed Strauss, 617 Jackson St., Waco.

**FOR QUICK SERVICE** ring Union Delivery and Messenger Service. Delivery by automobile, motorcycle and bicycle. Open all night. Phone 1256.

**R. D. EVANS, LAWYER** Office 120 1-2 South 3rd St. Phone 1953.

**MISS DARSEY, Spirella Corsetier,** 1619 Washington St. Phone 5189.

**HATS** cleaned and blocked. Telephone 130. Roberts the Hatter, 707 Austin Ave.

**SUITS** cleaned and pressed. Telephone 130. Roberts the Hatter, 707 Austin Ave.

## Lost and Found

**FOUND—Large garment,** leather glove, on road near Waco. Owner call at Morning News.

**LOST—Gold lavallier with diamond set,** Monday, somewhere between Twentieth and Sanger and Fourth and Austin. For reward, finder phone 2556.

**LOST—Large green plaid laprobe,** between 12th and 19th Sts., on Morrow. Reward for return. Mrs. H. B. Mistrot.

**LOST—Child's white fur collar in or in front of Sanger Bros. Phone 4346.**

**LOST—Lady's gold Elgin watch;** reward for return to News.

**LOST—Tuesday afternoon somewhere in Waco,** a black fur and neckpiece. For reward return to Morning News.

**FOUND—One bicycle,** phone 3561.

**LOST—One sorrel horse and buggy;** lost Friday night. Brazos Packing company, Phone 4646.

**LOST—Between Public Library and Tribune office,** black velvet handkerchief lined with yellow satin and containing letters and receipts. Liberal reward for return to Tribune office or phone 509.

## Help Wanted Male

**WANTED—Colored porter,** good hustler, at train and wait on table; light work, no night trains; 30 miles from Waco. 100, care News.

**WANTED—Next season,** an experienced, sober and reliable cotton buyer, well acquainted in Central Texas. Must have references. Address Evans & Co., Houston, Texas.

**MEN—Our illustrated catalogue** explains how we teach the barber trade quickly; mailed free. Moler Barber College, Fort Worth, Texas.

## Help Wanted Female

**WANTED—Experienced millinery sales-** lady. Goldstein-Migel Co.

**WANTED—Good reliable cook,** German or Bohemian. Apply 1207 Washington. Phone 1351.

**WANTED—Married couple** to rent my home and board me. Must have good references. W. E. Hilley, phone 2011.

**FIRST-CLASS help in dressmaking.** Phone 1518Y.

## Personal

**WANTED—A Christian home** for a boy aged 6. Address Box 31, Moody, Tex.

## Situation Wanted Male

**WANTED—Position as foreman or farm** manager, by competent single man with several years' experience of farm management, stock breeding and feeding for market. Running and handling of modern farm machinery, including steam and gas tractors. Best of reference furnished. Address O. L. Jenkins, general delivery, Waco, Tex., or call Cadillac Hotel, 2875.

## Situation Wanted Female

**Middle-aged lady wants to do nursing** for the sick; best of references. Phone 2180.

## Rooms for Rent

**LOVELY,** newly-furnished front bedroom, 1123 Columbus St.

**THREE** unfurnished rooms, all conveniences. 1015 Columbus. Phone 4985.

**FOR RENT—Nice front room** for two young men, with or without board. 1119 N. 5th.

**FOR RENT—To young man or young** men; bedroom, all conveniences. Phone 4979.

**FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room** in private home. Phone 5194.

**FOR RENT—To one or two young men,** nicely furnished room in private home, convenient to car; walking distance. N. Waco; references exchanged. Phone 3825.

**FOR RENT—Nice south rooms,** with a sleeping porch, at 717 S. 3d. Phone 3224.

**FOR RENT—Southeast furnished room,** modern conveniences. 308 N. 12th St. Phone 2384.

**NICE CLEAN ROOMS,** close in, gas heat. 329 N. 4th St.

**ROOM in the heart of the city,** rates by the week. 612 1/2 Austin St.

**FOR RENT—Furnished rooms** with all conveniences, in private home, to couple without children. Phone 3216.

**ATTRACTIVE bed rooms** for rent, one block of Raleigh. Phone 2344.

**ROOMS—Newly furnished,** hot and cold baths. 721 1-2 Austin Ave.

**FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room,** adjoining bath, hot and cold water. Ring 4575.

**FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room,** all conveniences; walking distance. Phone 5194.

**FOR RENT—North Fifth street,** two rooms, adjoining bath. Phone 4354.

**FOR RENT—Lovely south front room,** close in. Phone 843.

**ROOMS with or without board,** all conveniences. 41a Columbus St. Phone 1939.

**FOR RENT—nice front room** to refined young men or couple; references exchanged. Telephone 2462.

**ROOMS FOR RENT—Close in;** also light housekeeping rooms. 610 S. 6th. Phone 1934.

**FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room,** close in; all conveniences. Phone 3106.

**FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms,** close in; will rent singly or together. 225 N. 4th St.

**ONE or two rooms** furnished for housekeeping; south exposure; all conveniences. Phone 2915. 1019 Washington.

**TWO large, well-ventilated rooms,** unfurnished, with private bath, large screened sleeping porch; cars stop in front of door. Phone 3932.

**TWO furnished housekeeping rooms,** lights and water; furnished; \$12.50 per month. Phone 2502.

**TWO front rooms for housekeeping,** or couple. Phone 3037. 621 S. 3d.

**FURNISHED housekeeping rooms,** close in. 503 N. 8th St., phone 1056.

**CLOSE-IN, nicely furnished house-** keeping rooms. 215 N. 7th.

**FOR RENT—Three delightfully large** cool rooms, furnished for light housekeeping. Everything modern, on car line and paved street. Phone 2433.

**TWO nice large unfurnished rooms,** bath, gas, electric lights; close in on car line. No children. Phone 2944.

**FOR RENT—Two connecting rooms,** completely furnished for light housekeeping; north side. Phone 1665.

**APARTMENT, 3 rooms,** furnished or unfurnished; all conveniences; garage; 2025 N. 6th.

**UNFURNISHED rooms for rent,** with small garden. 520 N. 14th.

**FOR RENT—Housekeeping rooms.** 315 North Seventh St.

**HOUSES AND FLATS**

**FOR RENT—1117 S. 4th,** 4 rooms, hall, gas, lights, bath. Also 409 S. 16th, 5 rooms, barn, only \$10. E. L. Humphreys.

**FOR RENT—4-room house** on S. 11th, practically new, near car line. Phone 4016.

**KENTUCKY APT., modern 4-room** apartment, sleeping porch, hot and cold water, steam heat, janitor, garage. \$35. Phone 705.

**NICE 5-room cottage** for rent, 1320 N. 11th St., all modern conveniences. Phone 3986.

**FOR RENT—Cottage,** corner Twentieth and Clay. W. D. Lacy.

**FOR RENT—New apartments** at \$23.50 and \$25. Phone 665.

**APARTMENT, 3 rooms,** furnished or unfurnished; all conveniences; garage. 2025 N. Sixth. Phone 3154.

**SPLendid residences,** choicest apartments. Phone "The Rent Man," 956. J. C. Nichols.

**FOR RENT—Five rooms and hall,** all modern conveniences. 1917 Fort Ave. Mrs. J. B. Cornish.

**FOR RENT—Charley Turner home-** stead at Bosque bridge; elegant two-story home, equipped for truck and poultry and dairy, etc. Ring 366.

**Stores and Offices**

**FOR RENT—FINE STORE,** 21x100; EXCELLENT LOCATION FOR RETAIL OR JOBBING BUSINESS. PHONE 1032.

**FOR RENT—After April 1,** corner at 8th and Franklin, now occupied by Oriental Oil Co.

## Stores and Offices

**Continued.**

**FOR RENT—Splendid location** in the heart of the business district for drug store. Phone 2342.

## Wanted to Rent

**COUPLE** without children desire furnished modern apartment or room and board with private family. References given. Box 63, care News.

**MEALS AND ROOMS—Special rates** \$16 and \$18 month; hot bath; meals \$3.50 week; best in town for the money. Try us. 500 S. 3d.

**ROOM with board,** in private home, with all modern conveniences. Phone 4290.

**NICE room and choice board,** close in, to couple or men; also garage. 924 Columbus. Phone 1874.

**FOR RENT—Two connecting rooms;** south exposure; good board; hot water. Apply 529 N. 11th.

**WANTED—A couple or two young** men to room and board at 1504 Columbus. Phone 2209.

**FURNISHED room with table** board. 904 Washington; phone 4287.

**Educational**

**ATTEND TOBY'S BUSINESS COL-** LEGE. NONE BETTER. OPEN ALL YEAR. ALSO TEACH BY MAIL.

**FOR the best in everything,** attend Hill's Business College, Waco, Texas. Open day and night.

**For Sale Miscellaneous**

**FOR SALE—Good 3-room cottage** at 1113 Franklin, insured for \$800; must be moved away. Phone 4850.

**FIVE-DRAWER, drop-head sewing** machine, fine shape; all attachments. \$6. Phone 2148.

**FOR SALE—Household furniture,** nice sideboard, table, chairs, bed and springs, all bargains. Call at 324 S. 6th or phone 3952.

**FOR SALE—Pair of computing scales** and one delivery wagon. Phone 1606.

**ELEGANTLY furnished flat** of ten rooms, best location in city, all conveniences; a money maker; price \$550. Will give some terms to right party. Baldrige, 312 Amicable.

**FOR SALE—My confectionery and** tailor shop, located in Eddy. If you are interested, call and see me. M. W. Scott.

**EAT THE FAMOUS chile,** chileman, chicken soup and Irish stew at Milano's Place, 413 Franklin.

**MORE GROCERIES FOR LESS MONEY** is Mosley's reputation. He's got wood, too. Phone 5061 and save money.

**\$50 CASH takes a piano** that is in good condition. This piano cost \$250 when new. Address W. A. E. News.

**FOR SALE—Practically new \$200** Wales adding machine, for \$100. Address Drawer 15, Waco, Texas.

**KNABE piano** for sale cheap, small payment down, balance easy. 903 North Eleventh St.

**FOR SALE—Cheap, second-hand \$65** Victrola, in good condition. Drawer 8.

**FURNITURE ON EASY PAYMENTS.** Big stock. Best goods. Best prices. Not in high-rent district. 28 years in Waco. Walk a block and save a dollar. RAY ROWELL, 301-307 Washington St. Phones 374 and 375.

**LOAM! LOAM!**  
 Fine red loam, good for flowers, garden and yard; delivered for \$1 per yard. Phone 2052 or 24892; H. Hawthorne.

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 Rich black dirt for flowers and lawns; sand and gravel. W. E. Jackson, Phone 928.

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 Cash or easy payments.  
 We buy, sell, rent, exchange and repair. 205 Washington St. New phone 5188. B. H. VARNER, Mgr.

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 Complete house bills shipped anywhere. Examination allowed. No advance required. Grade and count guaranteed. Send estimate. Independent Co-operative Lumber Co., Lake Charles, La. "The Home of Long Leaf Pine."

**For Sale or Trade**

**FOR SALE—Twin Indian 1913 model** motorcycle, \$65; or will trade for light car. Phone 16022.

**GOOD 5-passenger automobile** for sale or trade. See W. A. Wakefield, room 506, Amicable Bldg., phone 414.

**FOR SALE—Two 1916 Fords,** both in first-class condition; also two new 1917 Ford bodies for sale or exchange; all cheap for cash. E. L. Torrance, 269 S. 6th St.

**FOR SALE—Cheap for cash,** five-passenger Studebaker auto, good condition; electric lights and new casings, 401 Washington St., phone 1188.

**FOR SALE—Interstate 5-passenger** car; 40-horsepower, in perfect condition; cost \$1550, will take \$500. H. M. Williams, Lorena. Phone 20.

**FOR SALE—1914 Overland** roadster, all new tires and one extra tire, newly painted, electric starter and lights; \$675. Percy Willis Auto Co.

**MULLEN'S AUTO PAINT SHOP—High** grade auto and carriage painting; makers of auto tops. Old tops re-covered, seat covers, third hoods, cushions, etc. 212 North Third St., phone 1478.

**Automobiles for Sale**

**FOR SALE—1916 model, six-cylinder** 7-passenger Mitchell automobile, fully equipped and in perfect condition. Bargain if sold at once. Can be seen at 1225 N. Fifth St. C. E. James, Phone 3352.

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Q-Ban Is Simple, Healthful Preparation—Satisfaction or Money Back—Don't Use Dyes.

It is not necessary, not even wise, to have gray hair nowadays. But don't use dangerous, dirty, sticky dyes. "Turn Back to Nature."

Restore the uniform color of your hair with the aid of Q-Ban Hair Color Restorer. Thousands have done so and are proud of the result. Years of study by expert chemists has resulted in Q-Ban, the one preparation that actually works hand in hand with Nature in banishing gray hair in a healthful way.

You simply apply Q-Ban like a shampoo, and your hair will resume a natural color, evenly, gradually, safely and surely. Your hair will become soft, glossy, abundant and beautiful. You will look so young you will be delighted. But beware of imitations as you would of dyes. There is nothing like Q-Ban.

Q-Ban is all ready to use—is guaranteed to be harmless, and is sold under the makers' money-back guarantee. It is the only preparation for the purpose so guaranteed. At Powers' good drug stores, 50c a large bottle, or write direct to Hiesig-Elis Drug Co., Memphis, Tenn. "Hair Culture," an illustrated, interesting book of lectures, sent free.

Try Q-Ban Superfine Hair Tonic; Q-Ban Liquid Shampoo; Q-Ban Toilet Soap; Q-Ban Depilatory for removing superfluous hair.

Don't wait till morning to order your drugs. We are open all night. Free delivery. Steller's Drug Store, phone 159.

Iowa Park, Texas.  
Mr. G. W. McCroskey.  
Dear Sir: I am so well pleased. I had indigestion for a long time, and in September I began taking your tonic and took two bottles and have not been troubled since; besides, I had smothering spells and shortness of breath. The doctors called it neuralgia of the stomach, and it cured me, and I have not been bothered since.

MRS. J. J. HALL.  
McCroskey's Tonic is made in Waco. Sold everywhere. Ask your druggist.

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## AD WRITERS OPPOSE FREE WRITE-UPS IN WACO NEWSPAPERS

"PUFFERY" ARTICLES ARE CON-  
DEMNED IN RESOLUTIONS.  
WILL PLAN TRADE DAY.

At the regular meeting of the Ad-writers' league a resolution was adopted that a letter be sent to the publishers of all Waco newspapers stating that it is the unanimous opinion of the Ad-writers' league that the newspapers cease publication of any free "write-ups" or "puffery" articles whatsoever. The letter to be sent states that the league believes the papers to be entitled to pay for all such "free advertising" articles as are usually run under the guise of news stories. The letter to be sent out follows:

"Gentlemen: Believing that we are serving the best interests of the advertisers of Waco, and that it is the universal desire of all readers of your newspapers, we hereby petition that you seriously consider:

"The elimination from your columns of all free reading notices and all puffery articles, for which no remuneration is received.

"It is the unanimous desire of this organization that the publishers receive just compensation for their services, to the end that they may extend their circulations to the districts which are now properly considered Waco trade territory.

"We realize that these free notices deteriorate the quality of your splendid newspapers and means the elimination of valuable news items from day to day.

"We trust you will receive this message in the spirit it is given and assure you our fullest co-operation in the matter."

Plan Week-end Trade Day.

After a discussion of various plans for promoting a week-end trade day for Waco, a motion was made and carried that the chair appoint a committee of five members to formulate definite plans for a midweek trade day for Waco.

The eliminating and judging of five circular letters written for the Texas Publicity Bureau was the educational feature of the meeting. Winners of the contest were L. M. Cazayoux, first; W. J. Mitchell, second, and Shell Carter, third.

Frank White invited the league to go through the Amicable shop in a body next Wednesday at 11 a. m.

Woodmen Convention.

Delegates and visitors to the number of 6,000 to 8,000 will be in Waco from March 26 to 30 inclusive; the accommodation committee requests that all hotels and boarding and lodging houses proprietors and all others who may wish to accommodate any number of the visitors communicate with them at once in writing with the following information: Name, street number, phone number, number of persons that can be accommodated with lodging only or lodging and board and per day per person, whether you prefer men or ladies or both.

Address S. J. Flood, chairman W. O. W. hotel and accommodation committee, 121 South Eighth street. No phone or personal requests will be acknowledged.—Adv.

Help me keep these men at work. They can do anything that can be done in a first-class shop. Phone 240. Dorsett, 610 Austin St.—Adv.

E. W. Morgan of Santiago, Texas, member of the Sinclair Oil company, visited in Waco yesterday, the guest of A. A. Davis.

Our Service Batteries are complete, a battery for every car of every year, for every model. Waco Storage Battery Co.—Adv.

If your lights are dim and your starter weak, it is a sure sign of a dead battery. Ring 3311 for a service battery. Waco Storage Battery Co.—Adv.

What to Do for Eczema

Greasy salves and ointments should not be applied if good clear skin is wanted. From any druggist for 25c or \$1.00 for extra large size, get a bottle of zemo. When applied as directed, it effectively removes eczema, quickly stops itching, and heals skin troubles, also sores, burns, wounds and chafing. It penetrates, cleanses and soothes. Zemo is a clean, dependable and inexpensive, penetrating, antiseptic liquid. Try it, as we believe nothing you have ever used is as effective and satisfying. The E. W. Ross Co., Cleveland, O.

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## Is Waco Growing—Well Read These Here's Four Stories to Prove It

A large addition is to be made to the residence of William Meade, 612 North Twelfth street, at once, a second story containing ten rooms being added. The improvement will be modern.

An apartment house containing two apartments of five rooms each is being erected at Twelfth and Jefferson streets by Miss Azalea Piddoke. The improvement is modern and location is excellent. The work will have been completed by the first of April.

The new, two-story residence of Dr. M. W. Colgin, on Austin street, between Twenty-sixth and Twenty-seventh streets, is nearing completion. It will be one of the handsome homes of that section.

Improvements at the Metropole hotel

have started in earnest. There will be a number of sample rooms added, telephones put in every room, betterments made in a number of the rooms, more baths added and other changes made.

Perhaps It's Here

THE Waco Bar association banquet will be held tonight, Hotel Raleigh. President John W. Davis will preside as toastmaster. Lawyers from the county also are invited to attend.

Many new sidewalks are to be put down on Sanger avenue at once, between Eighteenth and Twenty-eighth streets. Some of these are under construction now. The city commission has ordered walks down between these points.

Corn planting has been under way in earnest this week. It will go into the ground rapidly again next week also. A fair acreage of corn will be planted, it is agreed.

An election is to be held in the China Springs neighborhood today to see about incorporating for school purposes. If the election carries seven trustees will be chosen at the same time.

Several of the hotels of the city report rapid improvement in business. Some of the hotels have been full of overflowing recently, and this under normal conditions. With the Woodmen gathering coming on the latter part of the month, all private boarding houses and rooming houses will be requisitioned.

The "safely first" committee of the Texas Central district of the Katy railroad will be held here at 3 o'clock this afternoon, Y. M. B. L. rooms. About fifty are expected to attend.

National Biscuit Company  
President Died Friday

Information was received here yesterday by the Waco branch of the National Biscuit company that A. W. Green, president of the corporation and originator of the designation, "Nabisco Biscuit," had died Thursday night in New York.

In respect to the deceased the branches of the company throughout the country will have their flags at half mast and business will be suspended between 11 and 12 o'clock this morning, no work to be done by any member of the firm during this period.

Praetorians Name Heads  
for the Coming Year

Representing the Central Texas council No. 574, Modern Praetorians, F. O. Post, H. S. Moore and J. E. Proffitt will attend the state convention of Praetorians at Austin, April 20 and 21.

Officers of the local chapter have recently been chosen as follows: J. E. Proffitt, sublime augustus; W. A. Baldridge, senior tribune; R. A. Oglesby, recorder; H. A. Baldridge, soothsayer; G. H. Smith, lykan; L. S. Chiles, attorney; F. O. Post, first centurion; Mrs. Cora Roberts, second centurion; Mrs. M. M. McGinnis, musician; Mrs. Hattie Moore, sentinel, and Miss E. M. Pouncey, Praetorian queen.

Baptist Training School  
Will Open Here Sunday

For the benefit of workers in Sunday schools and other departments of church activity, the Waco Baptist Training school will open Sunday at the First Baptist church under the auspices of the Sunday school department of the executive board of the Baptist general convention in Texas.

William P. Phillips, state secretary of Dallas will be the dean of the school. Among speakers will be Miss A. L. Williams, elementary worker of the Sunday school board of the Southern Baptist convention, Birmingham, Ala. Dr. J. B. Tidwell, professor of Bible Baylor university, and Dr. A. Beauchamp, field secretary of the Sunday school board of the Southern Baptist convention.

Petitions Request Second  
Election on Pool Bonds

Petitions calling for a second bond election to decide whether or not Waco will have the swimming pool proposed by the Waco Lions' club are in circulation and persons who had them in charge reported last night a large number of signatures. As soon as the sufficient number of names are signed to the petition they will be presented to the city commission and a request will be made for the election. The first election on the swimming pool was held Tuesday and resulted in the bonds being defeated by a single vote.

Lane Plans Accepted  
for Paris Bank Building

Notification also has been received by Roy E. Lane & Co. that their plans have been accepted for the new First State bank building at Paris, the building to cost \$35,000 to \$40,000. This makes the second bank building at Paris built on plans of this company.

The storms are gathering—some must suffer. Are you protected? One of our cyclone policies will hold you immune. Phone 427. E. E. Fitzhugh & Co.—Adv.

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ARCHITECT.  
Wishes to announce that he has moved his offices to the  
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BLDG.  
113-115 NORTH 5th STREET.

Your morning paper free with your morning purchase if made at Carter's Drug Store.—Adv.

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## The Style Show in Our Men's Clothing Department

Affords the Opportunity of Selecting from all the New Models and a Variety of Patterns That Is Unexcelled.

The new Spring and Summer Suits for Men and Young Men are on display in our Annex on North Fourth street. You'll find all of the correct models here for your selection and the assortment of patterns is large enough to allow your own individual preference full sway.

Our prices begin at \$15.00 and you will agree that the values at this price and at every price on up to those at \$35.00 are unmatched.

Stein-Bloch, Kirschbaum and Society Brand—three lines of clothing that are handled exclusively in Waco by Sanger Brothers—the men who cut and design these Suits are the highest priced cutters and designers of Men's Apparel. The quality of the fabrics is the best that money will buy.

A Becoming Shade and  
a Becoming Shape  
In Your

## NEW SPRING HAT

Not just any Hat will fit your individuality. The right shade and the right shape are essential. Our larger assortments assure you of the correct shade and the correct shape, and aside from these features the quality is the best.

Knox, Roxton, Kenwick and Stetson Hats—every one of them a leader in style and quality at its respective price.

The Sanger Men's Department is Accessible from the Main Store Through a Passageway Connecting with the Main Aisle, or You May Enter It from the Fourth Street Entrance.

Our Policy, "The Public Be Pleased"

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Is foolish when you can have your old tires half soled with International Half Soles and get an oversize casing that looks better than new and GUARANTEED 3,500 MILES WITHOUT PUNCTURE. Every User a Booster.

International Rubber Sales Company  
Phone 2770.  
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City Plans Own Work  
in Contemplating Bridges

The city probably will build its own bridges when work starts soon, on the four new concrete structures. The first bridge to be built will be the one on South Fifth street over Waco creek. This is needed in connection with the paving plan on that thoroughfare. It is claimed that better results can be reached by the city doing the work and having a man personally supervise everything. The other bridges will be built on Austin avenue, South Eleventh and the River driveway.

City Dads Seek Agreement  
With County Commission

Meeting with the county commissioners next week, representatives of the city commission will seek to reach an agreement regarding the painting of the big, new steel bridge over the Brazos river. The plan is to have the city pay a portion of the expense, and the county the remainder.

INSTALLED AS GRAND PRELATE

Pat M. Neff returned yesterday from Temple, where Thursday night he was installed as grand prelate of Knights of Pythias at a special state session called for this purpose.

Dr. O. F. Bailey of Waco, vice chancellor, presided at the installation and John T. Bonner of Waco was installing officer.

Harvest Bread

means everything from soup to nuts to the anxious young housekeeper when guests drop in unexpectedly.

These young people at their tea parties could give their mamas many ideas on the different ways in which this delicious bread can be made to meet emergencies.

And after the feast they will go home without a headache, or the other ache that is common to young folks when the food is less wholesome.

The flavor and tempting odor of Harvest Bread will take you back to tea-party days. Order a loaf today.

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LAST DAY  
TO SEE  
Clara Kimball  
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IN  
"The Price  
She Paid"

Seven Wonderful Parts.

Written by David Graham Phillips  
POSITIVELY HER BEST PICTURE

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# YOUNG MOTHERS

The young expectant mother has the right to know more about those processes of nature which mean so much to her and her child. The discomfort which precedes the birth of the child is due to a great extent to the tension on the drawn skin of the abdomen.

By simple applications of "Mother's Friend," night and morning, the fine network of nerves are soothed; the muscles expand easier; the skin becomes softer; the period of expectancy is passed in comfort and a great share of the pains so much dreaded at the crisis may be avoided.

"Mother's Friend" is the prescription of a famous physician. All husbands are more than glad to get it from the druggist.

Apply it yourself, night and morning. Write for a book every mother should read. It is free to users of "Mother's Friend." Address Bradford Regulator Company, Dept. C. 240 Atlanta, Ga.



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